

GREEN BEAM DESIGNATOR (GBD-IIIC) LASER SYSTEM

DESCRIPTION

The Green Beam Designator Laser System (GBD-IIIC) is an Escalation of Force (EoF) non-lethal weapons system that provides a visual hailing and warning capability to gain attention of personnel approaching lethal force authorized zones. This system will provide safe and effective visual hail and warn technology to minimize the risk of injury or death to civilian and military personnel as well as limit collateral damage to property and local infrastructure.

OPERATIONAL IMPACT

The GBD-IIIC will allow personnel engaged in combat, stability and security, and force protection operations to employ an intense visual cueing device to hail and warn personnel and vehicles at safe standoff distances. The GBD-IIIC,

along with other non-lethal weapons systems, will provide EoF capabilities to protect Marines against the threat of Vehicle Borne Improvised Explosive Devices.

PROGRAM STATUS

A total of 1,125 GBD-IIIC laser systems have been procured in fiscal year 2007 with deliveries occurring through fiscal year 2008. Approximately 125 GBD-IIIC systems will be fielded per month through 2nd Qtr fiscal year 2008. An additional 60 systems will be procured for training assets during fiscal year 2008.

Procurement Profile:	FY2008	FY2009
Quantity:	60	0

Developer/Manufacturer:
B.E. Meyers & Co, Inc., Redmond, WA